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Taft A Friend

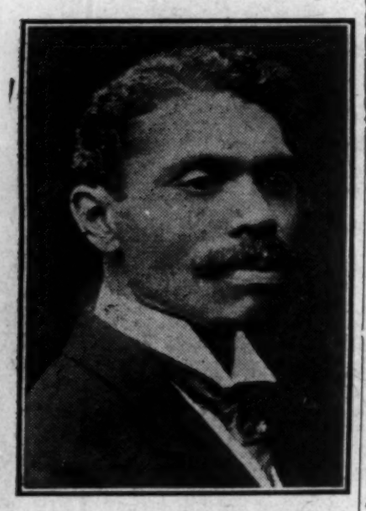
Incontrovertable evidence cited by Ralph Tyler, in an interview, to prove the deep interest the President manifests in the race.

There is only one way to disapprove bald assertions and groundless and unjust criticism, and that is by producting the facts. Ralph Tyler, in an interview this week enumerrates some of the things President Tafts has done which are beneficial to the whole race. He takes the ground that the betterment of the whole race is of more importance than the betterment of a few. The most of President McKinley's and President Rossevelt's colored appointments were not made until long after they had been in a year or two. Mr. Tyler in his interview has this to say:

"In judging President Taft's administration, in so far as it has had a bearing on the Negro race, not a few Negroes have fallen into the error of considering alone the number and quality of political appointments to date. An equitable representation in the offices, whether North or South, is admittedly the wish and hope of every Negro, and he considers it but the just recognition of his citizenship, and his loyalty to, and observance of the laws of his country. Still, however, it must not be assumed that political appointments alone constitute the one and only basis upon which to predicate criticism of President Taft and his administration.

Regrettable though it be, there is a real and a fancied line of distinction between the whites and Negroes of this country. President Taft in his every public utterance has shown that he is out of sympathy both with the real and fancied line of distinction. However, this has not closed his eyes to the existence of this line, nor prevented his attempting an adjustment of conditions which will, he sincerely hopes, eventually destroy every evidence of race distinction and race conflict. That he is sincere, in this matter no Negro who knows him, or correctly judges him will affirm to the contrary.

If those Negroes who are impatient for a shower of political fruit from the presidential plum tree will stop to consider that when the Maryland disfranchising law was before the electors of that State for adoption



HON. RALPH W. TYLER
One of the best informed representatives in the country.

President Taft threw the weight of his influence against it, and in vigorous terms denounced it as an unjust discrimination; and that without that influence, probably, every Negro in Maryland today would be disfranchised, perhaps they will conclude the beneficient effect of his influence in Maryland was far more fruitful, for the race, than any number of political appointments.

If the Negro critics of the President will recall his Hampton, Howard University, and Wilberforce University speeches, in which he declared unqualifiedly for, and urged vigorously the widest, most varied, and best possible education for the Negro, perhaps, if they honestly and sincerely are interested in race advancement, will conclude that the influence exerted by the President for education will have a vastly more important bearing on the uplift of our ten millions of Negroes than an hundred political appointments of high or low degree could have.

If the Negro critics will stop and consider the deep interest shown, and the efforts put forth by President Taft's administration, to preserve the independence, and to provide for the permanency and progress of the Liberian republic—thus affording an opportunity for the Negro to show and develop his capacity for self-government, perhaps they will assume, and rightly too, that the cause of the Negro is a matter of deep concern with the President.

If the Negro critics, and those seekers for the temporary elevation to be found in political appointments will recall that the President, in his annual message to Congress, advocated the holding of a semi-centennial celebration of the emancipation of the American Negro from slavery, in order that the race might show in concrete and assembled form the wonderful progress made in fifty years of freedom, perhaps they will will agree to give him the credit he has earned for a sincere desire for race uplift.

And also it must not be lost sight of, when in forming a judgment of President Taft, that in every measure, policy or legislative enactment recommended by him to benefit the people of the United States as a whole the Negro, as a part, must necessarily be benefited, and for this we have a right, in common with the whites, to feel grateful to him.

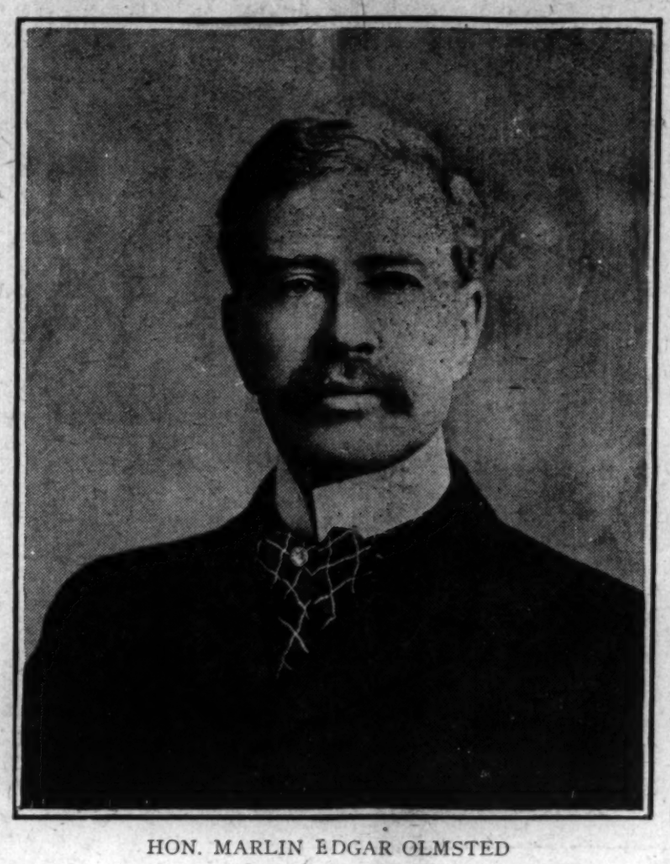
The fact that the President retained his membership on the Jeanes Fund Board, a board having the management and disposition of a fund for Negro Education, although he had retired from active participation in all his many societies and boards; save the Yale corporation, makes it inconceivable that he can be regarded in any other light than one who aims to be a friend. And that he takes a keen interest in the work of the Jeanes Fund Board is bers meet with him at the White House last December.

After all the paramount consideration involved in the Negro question is not what influence should be exerted for any restricted or prescribed sphere for the Negro, but what influence should be put forth to form an incentive to a forward march all down the line. Not what influence should be exerted merely to conserve the interests of the aspirants for office, but what influence is necessary to conserve the industrial, commercial and professional advance of the race. Not what influence should be directed merely to and for the Negro but what influence should be directed affecting both, the Negroes and whites in order to order to ameliorate the conditions of the one by attracting the sympathy and help of the other.

That President Taft is desirous of having, and means to see that the Negroes receive a fair and equitable political representation no one who is informed doubts. Not because of any possible bearing it may have on his future political fortunes, but because he believes it their just right and due. But Rome was not built in a day, and no administration was ever able to fulfill all its promises within a year from date. President Taft is sincere in his desire, and aim to reduce race friction to the minimum, and increase the harmony between the races to the maximum. Criticism is not likely to dissuade him from his purpose to conserve, first, the interests of the whole people, without reference to race or color, and secondly to concerve the interests of the classes without prejudicing the cause of the latter.

Before criticising the dispensing power the race should at least, affect consistency. His appointment of Mr. Emmett J. Scott, an ideally balanced and splendidly equipped man, as one of the Liberian Commissioners, was, without just cause, criticized by some members of the race, but not by the whites. The first, and most important term appointment made by the President was that of Robert H. Terrell to a place on the municipal bench, and that appointment, although a reappointment, was made in the race of strenuous opposition. And strange to say the opposition was entirely on the part of Negroes, the people he thought to serve and please. And that opposition was not based on any lack, in Judge Terrell, of ability, equipment or character, but was prompted by a mean jealous spirit. If appointments of Negroes to office must be met with opposition from within the race the race is, at least, inconsistent if it expects white men to be unanimously in the affimative for Negro appointments.

Taken as a whole there is much in President Taft's first year for encouragement for the race, and the specific cases I mention stand as incontrovertable proof of his friendship for the race."



HON. MARLIN EDGAR OLMSTED
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Pennsylvania, the choice of the Republican House for speaker in the event that Speaker Cannon resigns.

Y. M. C. A. SECURES OFFER

The members of the Colored Men's Branch of the Y. M. C. A. are very happy. After many efforts and struggles they have finally succeeded in getting a proposition offered to them, though they they hope to finish and furnish the new Y. M. C. A. building on 12th street. The offer was secured in February, but the officers are just now prepared to make it public.

The Y. M. C. A. has arranged a fine programme for Ladies' Day on Easter Sunday. Prof. Kelly Miller will speak on the subject, "Newness of Life." Mr. George Otis Smith, president of the Y. M. C. A. in Washington, and Mr. Wm. K. Cooper, general secretary, and Mr. W. A. Hernton, International secretary of the Y. M. C. A. will make some remarks. Miss Charlotte Wallace will sing a vocal solo, and the Lyric Orchestra will furnish special music.

Ladies Day on Easter Sunday last year was very popular and the True Reformers' Hall could not hold the friends gathered.

Last Sunday, an audience of 350 men listened to Judge Norris give a lecture on Lincoln. It was very fine indeed.

INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATE

Great interest is being manifested in the Intercollegiate Debate which is to take place in the Andrew Rankin Chapel, Friday, April first, between Fisk University and Howard University. This is the first time that these two schools rave met in debate and keen rivalry exists between them. The subject to be discussed is resolved "That the United States should have an Income Tax." One of the largest crowds is expected to attend. Remember the date.

The date for the annual appearance of the "Black Patti" show in "A Trip to Africa" has been announced for March 29, 30 and 31. Madame Sissieretta Jones, and "Jolly" John Larkins, with 35 others will deal out the fun and music in real jungle style to all those who attend.

Tuskegee's Endowment

GREAT MEN HELPING TUSKEGEE

We, the undersigned, are glad to permit the use of our names in aiding the Trustees and officers of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute, of Tuskegee, Alabama, to secure a larger and more adequate endowment. We feel that the results accomplished by the Tuskegee School, not only in making the Negro more useful, but in the interest of the whole country, justfy an appeal to the public that shall increase the endowment to a figure where the Principal, Booker T. Washington, will not be compelled to spend so much of his time in getting of money to meet the current expenses.

Without going into details at present, we wish to state that it is the aim and wish of the Trustees at present to increase the endowment fund to three million dollars in the near future, and to secure $300,000 of this amount during the present school year. We are glad to add that a portion of the $300,000 has already been secured, and we earnestly hope that the remainder may be provided before June 1st.

William H. Taft, President of the United States.

Theodore Roosevelt, ex-President of the United States.

B. B. Comer, Governor of Alabama.

Seth Low, President Tuskegee Institute Board of Trustees, New York.

Charles E. Hughes, Governor of New York.

W. W. Campbell, Vice President Tuskegee Institute Board of Trustees, President Macon County Bank, Tuskegee, Ala.

Robert C. Ogden, Trustee of Hampton Institute and Tuskegee Institute, New York.

Clark Howell, Editor Atlanta Constitution, Atlanta, Ga.

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Abraham Grant, Bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Kansas City, Kansas.

Henry Watterson, Editor The Courier Journal, Louisville, Ky.

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Hollis Frissell, Principal of the Hampton Institute, Hampton, Va.

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Charles W. Chesnutt, Author. evidenced by his having had its mem- Cleveland, Ohio.

Henry L. Higginson, of the firm of Lee, Higginson and Co., Boston.

E. C. Morris, President Colored National Baptist Convention, Helena, Ark.

HOWARD UNIVERSITY NOTES

The oratorical contest among students of the Academy on Friday evening, April 8, 1910, in the University Chapel promises to be one of the most enthusiastic and warmly contested events of the year. Eight young men will contend for honors in elocution. They are Messrs. Elmer T. Green, Archibald A. Derricks, Chas. H. Hubert, James W. Jackson, George Hall, David A. Blake, John H. Mosley and Willard L. Grinnage. Some of the best musical talent of the University will appear in attractive numbers.

The rendition by the Howard University Choir of DuBois's Seven Last Words on Sunday afternoon, March 20,, was an event par excellence to people of musical taste. The high appreciation on the part of the members of the University and their friends of the splendid work of the choir was evidenced by the fact that a half hour before the exercises began it was impossible to gain admittance to the Chapel, and many had to be turned away. The solo parts were sung by Miss Mabel E. Diggs, soprano, Mr. Norman H. Johnson, tenor, and Mr. O. D. Jones, barytone. Miss Maude Young presided at the piano.

The reappearance of Miss Childers after a long and dangerous illness gave pleasure to all and her spirited and effective work as conductor indicated that she has lost none of her musical enthusiasm and magnetic personality. Her efforts and those of Miss Young called forth unqualified praise.

After the service President Thirkield extended to the visitors and friends an invitation to inspect the handsome new Carnegie Library. Hundreds gladly availed themselves of this opportunity.

A triangular debate among Howard, Fiske, and Atlanta Universities occurs on Friday evening, April 1, on the subject, Is an income tax desirable? Howard meets Fisk in Washington in the University Chapel; Fisk meets Atlanta at Fisk; and Howard meets Atlanta at Atlanta: All on the same date and with the same subject, each school having two teams, one affirmative and the other negative.

THE SELECT EXCURSION

Mr. Curtis, wife of Dr. A. M. Curtis has informed The Bee that she had nothing to do with getting up of the special select excursion to Tuskegee, Ala., that the matter had been suggested in her house by Mr. Emmett J. Scott and placed in charge of Mr. Ralph W. Tyler. Mrs. Curtis further said that the Committee could only secure pledges from eighteen persons, not a sufficient number for the railroad. The railroad would not carry the excursion party unless there were twenty persons guaranteed. Dr. A. M. Curtis, his wife, Mrs. Williston and probably one or two others were the only persons to leave for Tuskegee.

BETHEL LITERARY

Mr. Henry L. Curtis of New York, attorney at law, and a brother of Dr. A. M. Curtis of this city, will be the attraction at Bethel Literary next week. The subject of his address is: "The Hand of God in the History of the Negro."

Miss Louise Pollen will sing a solo.

SONG SERVICE AT HOWARD

An immense crowd was present at the song service rendered by the choir of Howard University on last Sunday. Long before four o'clock the crowd began to pour in, and by the time of the processional entrance could not be obtained in the vestibule.

The choir rendered very effectively the cantata entitled Seven Last Words, by DuBois and responded immediately to every move of the director, Miss Child s, under whose efficient leadership the choir has rendered such excellent music.

The words of Miss Young, the accompanist, is deserving of the greatest praise.

PARAGRAPHIC NEWS

By Miss G. B. Maxfield

Senator Tillman is able to leave the city for his home in South Carolina.

The National Industrial Training School at Durham, N. C., will open July 5th.

Miss Nannie H. Burroughs, the great female Baptist advocate is at home sick.

The New York disclaims any meaning of its correspondent's attack on Postmaster-General Hitchcock.

The new judge of the Police Court will be announced in a few days.

The President has not made up his mind to appoint a United States attorney yet.

The select excursion of 20 to Tuskegee, Ala., was called off.

Mrs. Curtis disclaims the responsibility of attempting to get it up.

A men's club was organized at the 15th Street Presbyterian Church Monday night.

Dr. S. L. Corrothers will be the next Bishop of the A. M. E. Zion Connection.

It is reported that Hon. John C. Dancy will enter the real estate business after he retires from office.

A new candidate has come to the front for the assistant registership of the Treasury Department.

A representative of Maryland colored Republicans will be named for a bureau office.

Rev. Clair of Asbury A. M. E. Church will begin to build shortly

The Alley Missionary workers are on the increase.

William Moore, a graduate of Cornell University, and for several years instructor in botany, has accepted a chair in the British agricultural College in Africa.

Chicago is planning to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the nomination of Abraham Lincoln to the Presidency.

W. S. Wilton, now ninety years of age, saw the Halley's Comet seventy-five years ago, from a hilltop in Michigan. He expects to go to the same hilltop.

DR. RICHARDSON

Dr. W. S. Richardson, no doubt one of the best known citizens in the country and the pride of the Republican party in this city, will be urged as the successor of Mr. Sidney Becker, who has been named as the collector of the port of Georgetown, National Committeeman for the District of Columbia. No better man could have been selected. Dr. Richardson is popular with all factions of the Republican party in this city and he is the man who could unite all factions. There is already a movement on foot to reorganize the District Republicans. The Bee doesn't know of a better man to undertake the work. The appointment of Mr. Becker will necessarily relieve him as National Committeeman.

DR. W. S. RICHARDSON
Choice of the Republican party of the District of Columbia as National Committeeman.

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Johnstown, Pa.—The movement from Maine to Cambria county, in the fifties, which brought to this district the prominent Barker and other families, also made it possible for Cresson, nearly the highest point in the county, to claim the honor of having been the birthplace of Lieut. Robert Edmund Peary, most daring and most persistent Arctic explorer of modern times and claimant for the title of Discoverer of the Pole. The father of Peary was not bothered about polar discovery. The building of "shook shops" and the manufacture and shipment of shook and staves to many distant points was his life work. Maine afforded ample opportunity for the lumber industry with its vast timber acreage, but for some reason the elder Peary thought Cambria county, Pa., also a virgin wooded land, better suited for his purpose, so he located at a point now generally admitted to be on the outskirts of Cresson.

Peary's naval career sheds an interesting light on the question of inherited traits and predilections. The elder Peary, an Englishman, transplanted to Maine, came from forbears who loved the sea. For some reason he did not share this fondness for the bounding wave and deliberately left the shore line for a life far in the interior, away from even inland lakes. But after his father's death Robert E. Peary, then a little boy, was taken back to Maine by his mother, and as a result of his life on the coast and his education the youngster instinctively went back to the life of his ancestors. The whaling industry from New England ports, the coming and going of clipper ships, laden with Maine lumber and many other products, by suggestion and appeal aroused in the youth love of the sea and its adventures. Lieut. Peary's distinct ambition to discover the pole is known to have been born in him as a result of the Greeley expedition and its relief. He was then a young officer in the navy, as were a number of those prominent in the work of exploration at that time, and hence the glory which now shines upon the water arm of Uncle Sam's military service by reflection.

It is strange how soon we are forgotten. People who knew Lieut. Peary's father are not now certain of his Christian name. Charles H. Peary of Chest Springs, a cousin of the explorer and who spells his name Perry, calls the lieutenant's father Charles Peary. Ex-Judge A. V. Barker of Ebensburg is certain his name was George. It has been suggested that perhaps his name was George Charles Peary. However that may be, Mr. and Mrs. Peary on coming into this county located in the woods near what is now Cresson, where Peary established a shook shop. A house standing on the turn of the road from Cresson to Loretto, about 100 yards from the town, is now generally accepted by the people of the county as occupying part of the site of the original Peary home, and is said to actually include a fragment of the old building.

It was in that house that Robert E. Peary was born, and there, two or three years later, his father died. Frank O'Hara, an old farmer living in Munster township, recalls Peary's birth clearly and tells a story of the elder Peary sending a messenger in a conveyance to a point some distance away to fetch a physician. "Kill the horse if you have to," Mr. Peary is alleged to have said to the driver, "but get the doctor here in a hurry." And it's another reminiscence of O'Hara that the elder Peary, who died at Gallitzin, was buried amid a blizzard. "That was like the north pole itself," says the aged Munster man. Peary was buried at Cape Elizabeth, Me.

The only basis for the claim that Peary was born at Chest Springs is the residence there of his cousin. Charles H. Peary's father, James Peary, came from Maine about the same time as George Peary did, but instead of locating at Cresson, settled at Chest Springs and there his children have resided ever since.

George Peary, fortunately, left enough of an estate to make it possible for Mrs. Peary to educate her son thoroughly and he finally found his way to the Naval academy.

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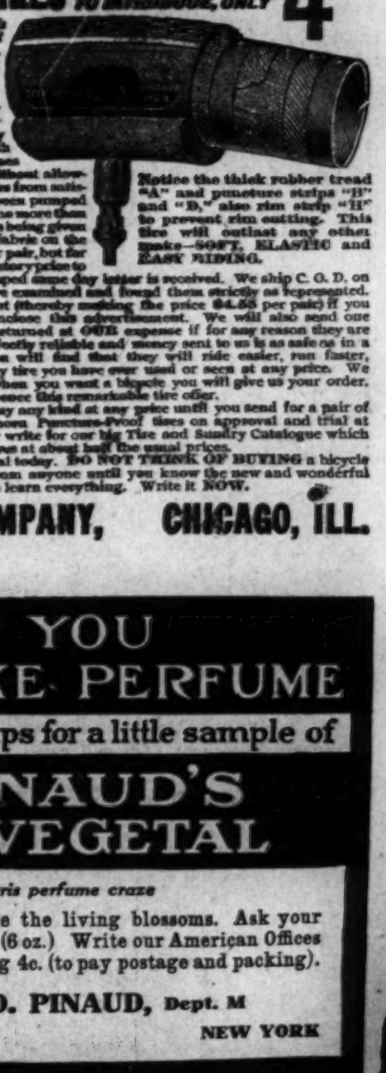

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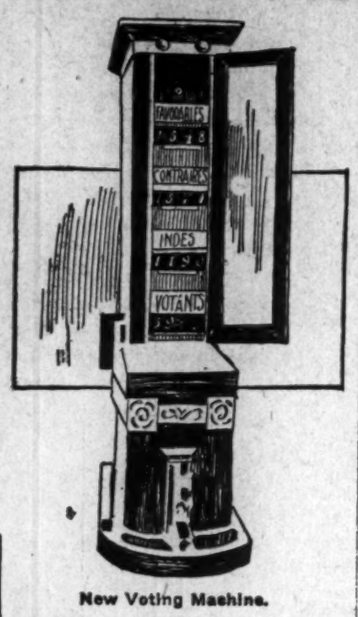

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Miss Boardman.

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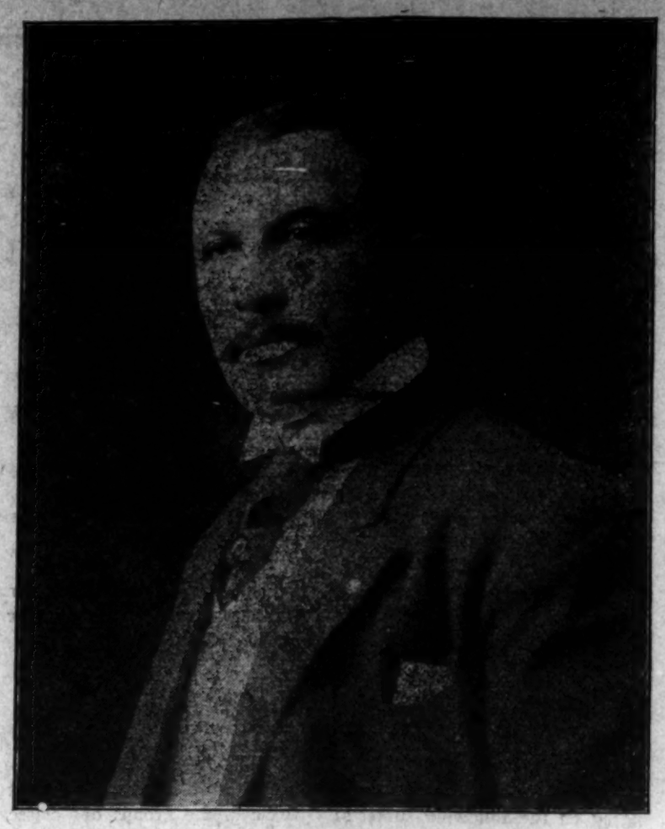

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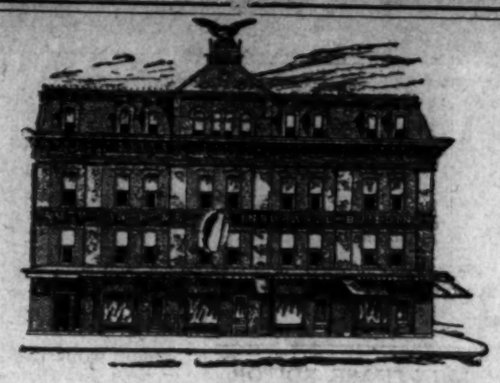

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MR. RALPH W. TYLER

On the front page of this week's issue, the country's attention is invited to an interview that Auditor Ralph W. Tyler had with a representative of The Bee, which in the opinion of this paper is a clear cut exposition of the policies of President Taft and his administration of Colored Americans. Mr. Tyler takes the ground that it is too early to criticise the President so far as he having not made more colored appointments thus far. Mr. Tyler thinks and believes that the colored man wants something more important than presidential appointments. That is, he means that the masses of colored Americans have been disfranchised and other attempts have been made to disfranchise them in other states and that the President's interference and condemnation of these alleged disfranchising acts by state legislatures are more important to colored Americans than the appointment to office.

Mr. Tyler is undoubtedly right in this particular. The President, as Mr. Tyler asserts has been and is still a friend of colored Americans. Every act of the President, every utterance that he has made fully demonstrates his fidelity and friendship. His utterances have been of the most friendly and beneficial character. His advice, if heeded, ought to be beneficial to the colored people. The critics of the President forgot that no man has done more to uphold the rights of colored Americans than he has. Every colored man cannot hope to be appointed to office. While the appointment of two or three colored men would probably satisfy a few, what must be done for the thousands who are being disfranchised by their enemies? Must these thousands be made to suffer to satisfy the office thirst of a selfish few? Mr. Tyler speaks like a philosopher. He reasons for the masses and not for the few. No act of the President has shown in the least, that he is inimical to the colored Americans. But on the contrary, the President has appealed to the reason of those who would destroy Negro manhood. The President has given to the South everything that has been asked. And for what purpose? Why to create a more friendly feeling between the two races. If the South refuses to extend the olive branch of peace to an oppressed race of people, the President is not to blame. He has done his duty to man. Just what the next step will be in the event of a total failure, wait and see. The outbreak for colored Americans in this country, is brighter today than it has ever been. Existing conditions in the South show a most friendly relationship between the two races the critics of the President to the contrary notwithstanding.

Mr. Tyler is correct in his conclusions. The first year of the administration of President Taft demonstrates beyond all doubt that he is a friend to colored Americans and his failure to appoint more of them, at this time, to office, is no evidence whatever that he doesn't intend to appoint more or that he is an enemy.

Aside from the Jean fund to which the President is wedded; just look what he is doing for Tuskegee, Wilberforce and other institutions for the education of the colored youth. Is a healthy feeling among the races existing in the South? Look what a monument colored Americans are building at Durham, N. C., under the wise presidency of Dr. James E. Shepard. See what aid the white people of Durham is giving to this institution and indeed throughout the entire South the better elements of white Americans are extending the olive branch of peace and help to the oppressed colored people. These are a few of the fruits of Mr. Taft's policy. Instead of the critics of the President clamoring for office, let them contribute their money and influence if they have any to these institutions that are being erected for the races. What have these men contributed toward higher or industrial education?

My Tyler's interview should be copied by the entire American press.

OPPOSITION IN THE RACE

It is getting to that point, it seems, where a colored man, if he secures appointment to a Presidential office he need not anticipate opposition to confirmation from whites, but must expect it from his own race. Henry Lincoln Johnson, recently appointed by President Taft as Recorder of Deeds found plain, uninterrupted sailing, in so far as the whites were concerned, but it was different with his own race and people. He found that the great and good Bishop Gains of the A. M. E. Church, along with a man named Graves, of Atlanta, had filed charges against him, and that they attempted to defeat his confirmation. They failed, however, as they should have done.

Negroes are continually clamoring for appointments, and just as soon as one is made they proceed to knock and try to defeat it. They tried to defeat Judge Terrell's confirmation, and they tried to defeat Henry Lincoln Johnson. And, we suppose, they will try to defeat every other one made, continuing it until the appointing power will get tired trying to please the race with appointments. Every time Negroes try to defeat the confirmation of another Negro the roll of the guilty ones ought to be called, just as The Bee has called the roll of Mr. Johnson's dog-in-the-manger enemies.

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Monday to Friday—8 a. m., Chapel Instruction. 9 a. m., Departmental Lectures. 10 a. m., Special Lectures. 11 a. m., Departmental Lectures. 2.30 Popular Lecture (Wednesday—Field Work). 4 p. m., Reading Aloud. 5 p. m., Recreation. 8 p. m., Entertainment.

Saturday — 8 a. m., Chapel. 9 a. m., Lecture. 10 a. m., Lecture. 4 p. m., Athletics. 8 p. m., Entertainment.

A Few Special Events Announced

The Program in full will be announced just before the opening.

The following special events are now announced:

July 5—Assembly opens.

July 6 — The Summer School opens.

July 11—Lecture series — how to make things.

July 13—Musical event—Martha.

July 18—Special lecture series — plain cooking.

July 20—Musical event—Hayden's Creation.

July 25—Pastoral work.

July 27—Musical event—Pinafore.

August 1—Lecture series.

August 3—Band concert.

August 8—Lecture series—Christian Workers Conference.

August 10—Musical event — Oratorio Elijah.

August 13—Entertainment.

The Annual Banquet Extension Classes of 1914 will come on August 12, 1910.

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Courses in special branches will be taught, which will be very helpful to teachers. The teachers selected are experts. Particular stress will be placed on the following subjects:

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The Department of Basketry will be under the direction of an expert teacher, and pupils after four or five weeks will be able to make baskets, mats, etc.

A partial list of the lecturers and Instructors may now be announced:

Lecturers.

Rev. Dr. Jesse L. Hulburt, New Jersey.

Mr. Samuel H. McCracken, Branchville, S. C.

Rev. Dr. D. Webster Davis, Richmond, Va.

Rev. Dr. J. W. E. Bowen, Atlanta, Ga.

Chaplain W. H. Gladden, New York.

Rev. Dr. John E. Ford, Jacksonville, Fla.

Rev. Dr. M. W. Gilbert, New York.

Rev. Dr. W. A. Creditt, Philadelphia, Pa.

Bishop Robert Strange, D. D., North Carolina.

Hon. N. B. Broughton, North Carolina.

Miss Grace Hemingway, Illinois.

Mr. N. O. Wilhelm, New Jersey.

Dr. James H. Dilliard, Louisana.

Rev. Dr. M. C. B. Mason, Ohio.

Rev. Dr. W. M. Jackson, Pennsylvania.

Rev. E. H. Hunter, Virginia.

Bishop Geo. W. Clinton, D. D., Charlotte, N. C.

Rev. Dr. J. B. Lemon, New Hampshire.

Prof. John R. Hawkins, North Carolina.

Hon. John C. Dancy, District of Columbia.

Instructors.

Prof. W. G. Pearson, Dean, Durham, N. C.

Rev. Dr. J. L. Hulburt, New Jersey.

Miss Laura C. Fawcett, Pennsylvania.

Prof C. H. Boyer, North Carolina.

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Prof. P. H. Moore, North Carolina.

Prof. P. W. Dawkins, North Carolina.

Mr. N. O. Wilhelm, New Jersey.

Dr. M. W. Gilbert, New York.

Dr. John E. Ford, Florida.

Arch Deacon W. Geo. Avant, North Carolina.

Miss Julia Guernsey, New York.

Besides those named above there will be others. Such an array of talent has never before been present at any Summer School or Chautauqua.

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Special organizations will be formed for mutual and social enjoyment for men and women, old and young, so that no one will feel lonely.

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will reside in this city.

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Bible Course for Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. Secretaries.

Bible Course for Laymen.

After Chapel exercises at eight o'clock, the groups of classes will form and continue as per schedule until twelve o'clock.

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Durham is one of the most progressive cities in the South. The grounds of the National Religious Training School are beautifully located on high elevation. The scenery is picturesque, and the surroundings delightful and pleasant. There is more business being carried on by the colored people of Durham than in any city its size in the Union. All classes of citizens in Durham, both white and black, will do what they can to make the Summer School a success. Durham is twenty-six miles from Raleigh, the Capital; and fifty-five miles from Greensboro. Five railroads enter the city. The city is noted for its low death rate and for its general cleanliness.

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Six weeks or season, $5.00.

One day—one course, 25c., two courses, 40c., three courses 50c.

One week—one course, $1.00, two courses, $1.60, three courses, $2.00.

Season — one course $5.00, two courses, $8.00, three courses, $10.00.

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Provision may be made in the School for accommodations for men in the men's hall, and women in the women's hall, at $3.50 a week. Room and board may be secured with private family at $5.00 a week up.

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Application has been made for reduced rates. Information for which can be funished shortly.

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For further information, address

The National Religious Training School and Chautauqua,
James E. Shepard, President,
Durham, N. C.

AT THE THIRD BAPTIST

Mr. James H. Coleman, president of the Young People's Christian Endeavor of the Third Baptist Church, Fifth and Q streets, northwest has announced a special program of music and addresses Sunday afternoon next. The exercises will begin at 3 o'clock and continue until 5. Vocal solos will be rendered by Miss Louise Mills, and Mr. James McIntosh, and a trombone solo by George M. Jones of the 10th U. S. Cavalry band. Interesting addresses will be made by F. Sprigg Perry, esq., assistant U. S. District Attorney and attorney for the District Board of Education, Mr. Edward Tarring, treasurer of the Union Christian Endeavor. Mrs. Fannie W. Taylor and Mr. W. J. Lee, superintendent of the Sunday School, Nineteenth Baptist Church. The silver offering will be placed in small envelopes for quiet collection. Rev. James H. Lee, D. D., pastor.

BURNING THE MORTGAGE

The Cosmopolitan Temple Baptist Church, N street, between 9th and 10th streets, n. w., Dr. Simon P. W. Drew is preparing for a great celebration beginning Easter Sunday. March 27th, 1910, at which time the $4,000 rally begins and continues for two weeks or more; also the third Mortgage-burning of the church takes place on Easter Monday evening, March 28th.

An elaborate program is being arranged beginning Easter Sunday 11 a. m., when the pastor, Dr. Drew will preach and at 8 p. m., also two special sermons upon the death and resurrection of Christ. At 3 p. m., Easter Sunday, March 27th, Rev. Henry N. Couden, D. D., Chaplain of the House of Representatives will deliver an address, also Congressmen Joseph W. Keifer of Ohio, Jacob Van. V. Olcott and Wm. S. Bennett of New York will speak.

Easter Monday evening, March 28th, will be the occasion of the third Mortgage-burning of the church, when addresses will be delivered by the following well known white ministers:

Rev. Drs. Lloyd C. Douglas of the Lutheran Memorial Church, Charles Wood of the Church of the Covenant, S. H. Woodrow of the First Congregational Church, Hez E. Swem of the Second Baptist Church. Special music by Miss Nannie Nicholson and the Cosmopolitan choir, assisted by Ebernezer M. E. Church choir, Prof. H. M. Perry, director.

Tuesday evening, March 29th, Judge Wm. H. DeLacey will be speaker of the evening and other speakers will be Judge E. M. Hewlett, Mr. James F. Oyster, Chairman of the Board of Education, Hon. Richard E. Horner, member of Board of Education, and Editor W. Calvin Chase of the Bee. The Sunday School, Mrs. C. Blanche Drew superintendent, will render a special program of music as also will they on Easter Sunday 3 p. m., when Chaplain Couden speaks.

Next month the following ministers will preach:

April 1st, Rev. I. Toliver of Liberty Baptist Church; April 4th, Rev. Wilbanks of Friendship Baptist Church; April 7th, Rev. A. J. Tyler of Mt. Airy Baptist Church; April 13th, Rev. Walter H. Brooks of 19th Street Baptist Church, April 14th, Rev. Jno. Richards of Rehoboath Baptist Church, and April 21st, Warden Thos. H. McKee of the U. S. Jail, will speak on that Thursday. The public is cordially invited to attend during the series.

BLUE LODGES

We record with deep regret the death of Mr. Edwin C. Meyers, the eldest son of our esteemed Grand Secretary and Past Grand Master, Brother W. H. Meyer.

Mr. Meyer died at his home, 308 3rd street, s. w., after a brief illness.

The funeral was held privately from his late residence, conducted by Rev. Harris and W. H. Severson. He leaves a wife, five children, two sisters, two brothers, a father and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

The craft extends their deepest sympathy to his families.

The funeral services were held at Zion Baptist Church on last Sunday, March 20, over Sir Knight H. Banks, a deacon.

Many attended.

Rev. Sir Kt. Howard officiated and was assisted by others, sermon taken from Timothy 4:6.

Appropriate papers and orations were read. The deceased was born in Richmond, Va., and came to this city at an early age.

He was a member of Pythagoros Lodge No. 9, St. John Chapter, No. 7, and I. Simon Commandery No. 1, Kt.

He leaves a wife, Hon. Lady L. Banks and three sons to mourn their loss.

Pythagoros Lodge, No. 7, had charge of his remains and was escorted by the Western Star Lodge, 1369, the Odd Fellows, Veterans Association and Simon Commandery, No. 1.

O. E. S.

At a special meeting of the Grand Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, on Thursday evening, it was decided that Thursday, March 30 would be held a chapter of sorrow in memory of the late Sir Kt. Thorton A. Jackson, the founder of the Order in this jurisdiction in the chapter room.

Hon. James Cox presided.

Queen Ester Chapter worked the Eastern Star degree, Friday night on a batch of candidates.

Hiram Lodge, No. 4, which was but a few years ago one of the smallest lodges in the city is fast reaching the top.

They have nearly 100 members now, and eight candidates were initiated Friday night last.

The chain of the four oldest Masons of this jurisdiction, namely J. A. Gray, E. A. Watson, J. H. Brooks and W. H. Landrick, was broken on Monday in the death of Brother Wm. H. Landrick, at his residence, 446 1-2 Franklin street, n. w., after a long sickness. He was the husband of Hon. Lady Sarah A. Landrick, past grand matron. Brother Landrick joined Felix Lodge, No. 3, in the year 1855. His remains were buried on Thursday, at 3 o'clock p. m., Felix Lodge in charge.

A movement has been started to erect a suitable stone to mark the last resting place of the late Sir Kt. Thorton A. Jackson, and the following Committee to visit the several chapters and courts relative to the matter:

Anna V. Thomas, Annie Whiting and Cordealia Henderson.

The Grand Chapter of Maryland O. E. S., from Maryland will attend the Chapter of sorrow in honor of Sir Kt. T. A. Jackson on Wednesday, March 30, at the Masonic Hall, S. E., at 7.30 p. m.

DURHAM CHAUTAUQUA

One of the greatest events that has ever taken place in the South will be the opening of the Durham, N. C. Chautauqua of theNational Industrial School, Dr. James E. Shepard is the president. The opening of this school will be july 5th to August 14th. Some of the best educators of the country will take part in the exercises. The Bee congratulates Dr. Shepard and wishes him much success in his new field of labor. In another column of The Bee will be seen and read with interest the programme.

A DUSKY "BISHOP" SEEMS LIKELY TO GET CAUGHT

Police Have Complaints About His Financial Collections — Has Been Here Before.

Chief Gunn has received a complaint against the Rt. Rev. Philip A. Hubert, D. D., who has been soliciting subscriptions to the United Christian Church, Inc., of Philadelphia, Penn. One of the complaints came from William Edwards, sexton of the Center Church, but no warrant was sworn out for the man's arrest. It is said that he has made fresuent visits to Hartford, usually just before an election, and has collected for other institutions. Once he sought a contribution of $100 from Mayor Hooker for the Oklahoma Industrial School which he said he was authorized to represent. He didn't get the $100 and threatened to break the mayor. He hasn't carried out the threat. Perhaps he forgot it, as he showed up the other day and asked for $25 the mayor was alleged to have promised him. The mayor's memory was bad and the $25 was not forthcoming.

Postmaster Frank A. Hagarty gave the man a small contribution and the bishop showed to other persons a check for $50 signed by E. J. Lake, who, he said, was none other than the ex-lieutenant-governor of this commonwealth. The latter said he had given the colored gentleman no such check. As yet the police have not located the dusky bishop but if they do he will be asked to account for his connections.

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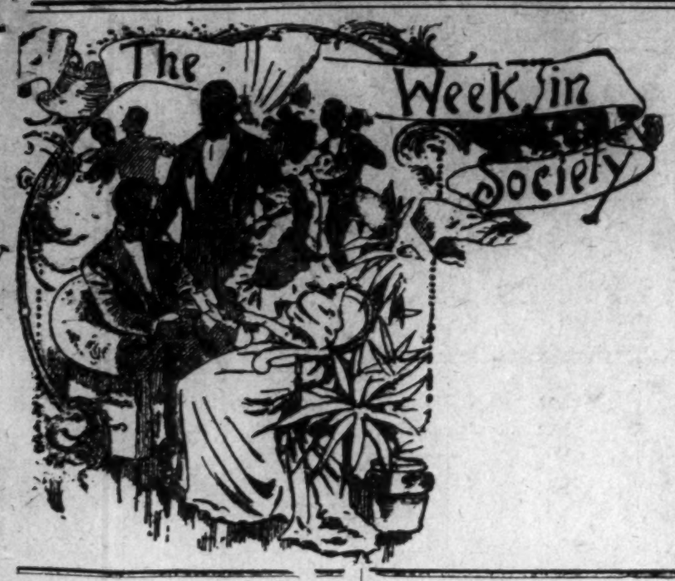

It is now the fashion after leaving the 5 and 10 cents theatre to join the crowd at the drug store of Board and McGuire, 1912 1-2 14th street, n. w. You will meet there all of your friends enjoying the most delicious ice cream soda, sundaes and candies in the city.

Mr. John Nail, a well known business man of New York City is visiting this city, the guest of his sister Mrs. Mary Middleton of South Washington.

Mr. Aaron Russell, assistant document clerk of the House of Representatives has , entirely recovered from his late indisposition.

The well known author and writer, Hon. Thomas Nelson Page addressed the Men's Club of St. Luke's Church last Sunday afternoon. A large attendance greeted him.

Our old friend W. Carl Boliver of Philadelphia, paragraph writer of the Bulletin, visited this city last week. Mr. Boliver was accompanied by Mr. Walter Smith, a well known civil engineer of Chicago, Illinois. These gentlemen were the guest of Mr. R. D. R. Venning.

On last Monday evening Bishop J. W. Smith, D. D., of the A. M. E. Zion Church and Mrs. Smith were given a reception by the members of Trinity A. M. E. Zion Church, Morton Street, between Georgia and Sherman avenues, N. W. The reception was very pleasing to the large membership present. Rev. G. J. Hawkins, D. D., is the pastor in charge.

Miss G. B. Maxfield, who has been sick with a sore throat is able to be up again. She will spend two days at the seashore.

Miss Effie M. Middleton, who has been seriously ill caused by accidentally sticking a fish bone in her finger is slowly improving.

Mr. Joseph D. Jones of the tax collector's office, was taken with a relapse and was forced to his bed again.

Mrs. Rosetta R. Lawson left the city for Abbeville, S. C., this week. She will be the guest of Mrs. E. V. C. Williams while there.

Dr. Booker T. Washington passed through the city Sunday evening, enroute for the North.

Mrs. E. D. Williston, wife of Dr. Williston, left for Tuskegee, Ala. last Sabbath.

Miss Cathereen Ambler is spending her Easter vacation in Wheeling, Pa., as guest of Miss Alma Lightfoot.

An elaborate reception was given in honor of the Sons and Daughters of Campbell, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Dale, 735 Nichols avenue, last Tuesday evening.

Among the distinguished guests present were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Harrod, Mrs. Louise Hall, Mrs. Mammie Dorsey, Mr. and and Mrs. Kent, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John Hill, Mrs. Warner, Mrs. Lurvenia Scott, Miss Hattie Jackson, Miss Hattie Dorsey, Miss Lillian Harrod, Miss Sadie Holly, Mr. Samuel Warner and Mr. W. W. Fraction, Jr.

Miss Dorsey presided at the piano efficiently.

Hon. Alberta S. White has returned to Louisville, Ky., after a very pleasant stay in this city.

Mr. Travers H. Dade of this city, left last Friday evening for Pittsburg, Pa.

Rev. Long of this city was in Philadelphia, Pa., to the quarterly conference.

Mrs. M. O. Wall and Mrs. C. D. Milligan of Chattolanee, Md., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Dulaney, of this city last week.

Spring time cards, love time cards birthday cards, new cards of all kinds at the Board and McGuire Pharmacy, 1912 1-2 14th street, n. w.

Mr. Payton Dade who has been indisposed, is convalescent.

Mrs. H. L. Edwards is convalescent after being indisposed for two weeks.

Phyllis Wheatley Council, No. 234, I. O. of St. Luke, gave a social last Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. H. D. Mason, 1253 Wylie st., n. e. The principal feature being the "Apple Bite," attempts were made by several persons but the lucky one was Mr. W. H. Mason, who carried off the prize.

Refreshments were had in abundance.

Lieutenant Benjamin Davis, Military Attache of the United States at Monrovia, Liberia, is still in the city.

The graduating class of 1910, of the Armstrong Technical High School, has issued invitations for the reception on April 1st.

Miss Estella M. Thomas of this city has returned after a very pleasant stay in New York City as the guest of her uncle, Mr. Edward Lee.

Misses Adela and Jesse Parks will have Miss Narka Lee of Boston during Easter Week as their guest.

Feeling bad, run down, tired, nervous, all out of sorts? Get a bottle of Iron Tonic Bitters at the drug store of Board and McGuire, 1912 1-2 14th street, n. w. Will make you feel like a new person.

Mrs. Geo. W. Cabaniss, received the members of the Berean Choir on Wednesday of last week at her home.

The whist all-night tourney of Washington and Baltimore clubs, had a very enjoyable evening at Martin's Cafe, on Thursday, March 24th.

Mr. Jackson, of Chicago, Ill., is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. Rosetta E. Lawson, of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, left the city this week for a six weeks' trip through South Carolina and Georgia in the interest of her work.

Mrs. John P. Turner of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived in this city on Thursday of last week.

Mr. John C. Asbury of Philadelphia, visited this city last week.

Hon. H. Lincoln Johnson was the guest of Mr. James Howard, in Philadelphia last week.

Miss Carrie B. Tunor of Philadelphia, is visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. J. R. W. Perry of Norfolk, Va. is visiting friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Davis announced the marriage of their daughter, Virginia, to Mr. Ernest Amos, on February 23, 1910.

Miss Fleetwood is now in Atlantic City.

Miss Ethel Cobbin, milliner of Providence, R. I., has sold out and cently visited friends in Baltimore.

Mr. R. C. Lewis of this city was the guest of Mr. W. Brown in Charleston, S. C. last week.

Messrs. W. M. and J. C. Canty have returned to this city after a very pleasant trip to Charlotte, N. C.

Mr. Frank Jackson of Detroit, Michigan, is visiting friends in this city.

Hon. W. T. Vernon is visiting his parents in Kansas.

Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Curtis, left last Sunday for an extended trip through the South, covering Birmingham, Tuskegee, Durham and other cities.

Miss May Fletcher, one of Baltimore's school teachers, will spend the Easter holidays in this city as guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Fletcher.

Miss M. G. Brown of York, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. Daniels.

You want your prescriptions filled carefully and accurately from the best drugs obtainable, at an honest price, don't you? Then, patronize the drug store of Board and McGuire, 1912 1-2 14th street, n. w. You will get what you want.

Miss Euila McDaniels, the granddaughter of Mrs. Catherine A. Beckett, and physical culture teacher at the Institute for colored youths at Cheyney, Pa., is in the city for the Easter holidays and stopping at the residence of her uncle, Lawyer Thomas Beckett.

Dr. Charles West, is spending a few days in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Joseph S. James, of 498 K street, s. w. has been confined to his bed sick for several days.

MISS PENN'S RECEPTION

On the evening of March 11, one of the most notable birthday receptions held in Washington, was given by Miss Helen S. Penn.

Miss Penn wore a black lace gown trimmed with gold over pink satin. Her beautifully selected boquet of pink carnations seemed to wonderfully brighten her charming attire. Dr. and Mrs. Lee A. Gill of this city were present. Mrs. Gill wore a black cloth gown elaborately trimmed in pearls. Mrs. Penn of Anacostia, D. C., wore black satin with Parisian trimmings, Mrs. Sinkler Penn of 2114 Ward Place, a blue chiffone creation tastefully and artistically trimmed in ribbon and delicate spring flowers, Mrs. C. O. Johnson was regally gowned in crepe dechine, trimmed with jet and white carnations, Miss Y. S. Penn, a younger sister of Miss H. S. Penn, was daintly dressed in a clinging robe of white batise, charmingly trimmed in lace and ribbon, Miss Burgess, Mrs. R. Parker of Pittsburg. Mrs. Corbin and Miss H. Carter of this city wore very attractive evening gowns.

Dr. Francis Johnson of this city, Mr. Mitchell of Harper's Ferry, Va., Prof. Marshall of Howard University, M. J. Starke of Howard University, Dr. B. M. Starke of Baltimore, Md., Mr. P. Penn of Anacostia, Mr. Parker of Pittsburg, Pa., and Mr. Sinkler Penn were present.

Charming and well selected music was furnished on this occasion by our well known and highly appreciated musician, Mr. Lewis Thomas.

No more fertile subject of comedy has ever been afforded the American author and playright than that furnished by the Afro American Black faced comedy is put on the country over by men and women of more or less ability in this line and when presented never fails to make a hit. On March 29, 30 and 31, the patrons of the City of Washington will be given an opportunity to see the comedy of the Afro-American nature together with something of its more serious side, portrayed by members of this race. The play is entitled "Trip to Africa" and has for its leading lady. Madame Sissieretta Jones, the original Black Patti. Madame Jones is snpported by the strongest aggregation of colored talent ever gotten together. "Jolly" John Larkins considered to be the funniest colored man on the American stage today, fills the role of comedian. Others in the cast are: Edward Dorsey, Will Cook, Anthony, Byrd, Charles Bougia, H. Morgan Prince, Rose Hawkins, Fanny Allen, Sarah Green-Byrd, Ruby Taylor, Irene Gaines and a host of dark-skinned beauties such as were never seen here before.

It is not a fashion bazaar, yet all the fashionable people can be seen at the drug store of Board and McGuire, right there on the popular Fourteenth street promenade, between Tea and You streets.

NOTES FROM FAIRMOUNT HEIGHTS

Another of the series of entertainments for the benefit of the First Presbyterian Church of Fairmount Heights was given Thursday evening, March 17, 1910, by Mr. and Mrs. Mullins at their residence.

The special features of this occasion was a musical and literary program voluntarily rendered by a number of ladies and gentlemen of the community.

Following the rendition of various readings, recitations and vocal and instrumental solos, refreshments, including the season's delicacies, were served, and the affair was pronounced one of the most financially successful and thoroughly enjoyable of those given for the purpose above outlined.

The regular monthly meeting of the North East Suburban Citizen's Association of the District of Columbia was held Thursday, March 10. This association has now grown into a formidable organization, new members being added at each meeting and the various smaller associations are joining the new and larger associations as it covers the entire area east of the Benning's Race Track, to the District Line, the following villages being represented:

Lincoln, Beveley, East Deanwood, Burrville, Grant Park, Deanwood Heights, Linwood Heights, and the District portion of Fairmount Heights.

It was stated by the President, Dr. W. W. Jones, that one good strong association in all the various sections in their community would be of more service and could do better work than a number of small associations, representing each village. Mr. Wallace Chapman, president of the Central Association said he was in hearty accord, and together with several of her members, united with the North East Suburban.

The street committee through its chairman, Mr. C. T. Mitchell, reported progress as to opening G St.

The following committees were appointed:

Executive:

W. S. Pittman, Fairmount Heights Chairman.

J. B. Payne, Linwood Heights, Corresponding Secretary.

C. S. Washington, Burrville.

C. T. Mitchell, Burrville.

R. W. Gilliam, Deanwood Heights.

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John George, Fairmount Heights, Chairman.

H. Burke, Grant Park.

A resolution was unanimously adopted commending carrier J. R. Churtmond, R. F. D. No. 3, for his uniform courtesy and general efficiency. He having done several favors in the discharge of his duties to the people through this section.

A ledger was presented the association by Mr. Henry Burke.

The association instructed the secretary to communicate with the other associations of the District of Columbia, assuring them of our cooperation and asking for theirs.

The officers of the association are as follows:

President, W. W. Jones, Deanwood Heights.

Vice president, John George, Fairmount Heights.

Corresponding secretary, H. Shorter, Linwood Heights.

Recording secretary, C. J. Wesley, Grant Park.

Treasurer, R. W. Gilliam, Deanwood Heights.

Chr. Ex. Com., W. S. Pittman, Fairmount Heights.

Architect W. Sidney Pittman will go South soon.

The drug store of Board and McGuire on 14th street was never more popular than these days when people crowd there to buy everything they want in the drug and toilet line. It is the quality of goods and fair dealing that hold the trade.

"A Trip to Africa" the musical success, in which the original "Black Patti" (Sissieretta Jones) and "Jolly" John Larkins, together with the 'Black Patti" show is appearing in the strongest production that has ever been presented by a colored organization. The scenic effects are a marvelous presentation and depict the interior African Jungle with all its details. Nothing has been left undone to make this most realistic.

ANACOSTIA NEWS

There was a song service given by the choir of Allen's A. M. E. Church last Sunday evening.

The services began promptly at 7.30 p. m. Some of the participants other than the members of the choir assisted as follows:

Mr. John Hill—Recitation.

Miss Grace Wilson—Solo.

Mr. Lewis of North Carolina—Address.

The choir was under the leadership of Mr. Harry Lewis.

Rev. C. H. Young, pastor of Campbell's Church delivered a grand sermon to a large congregation last Sunday morning at his church.

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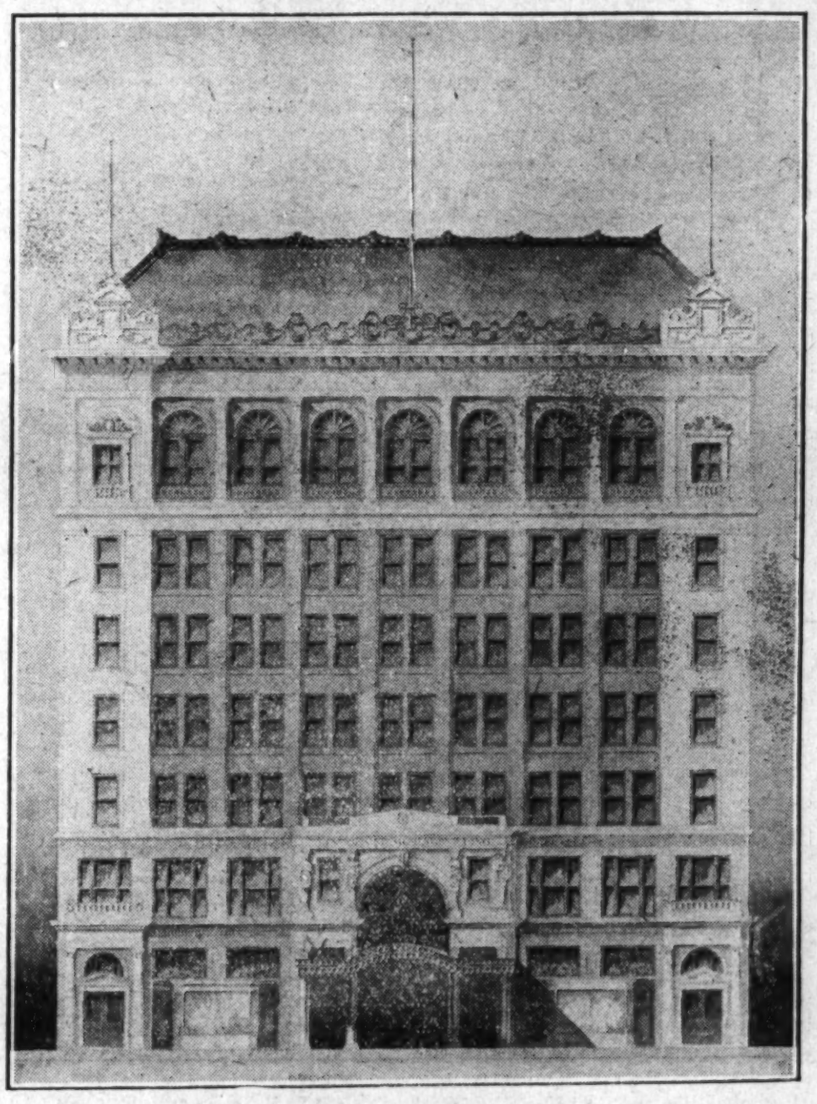

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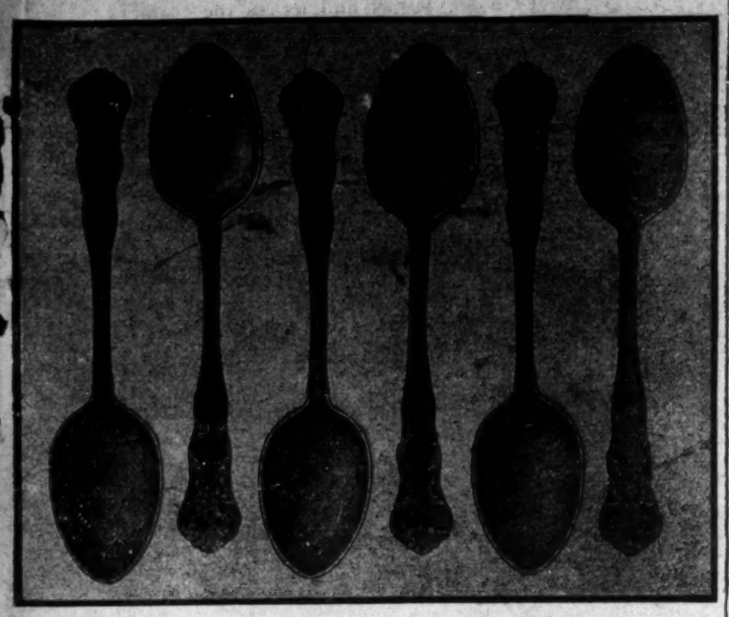

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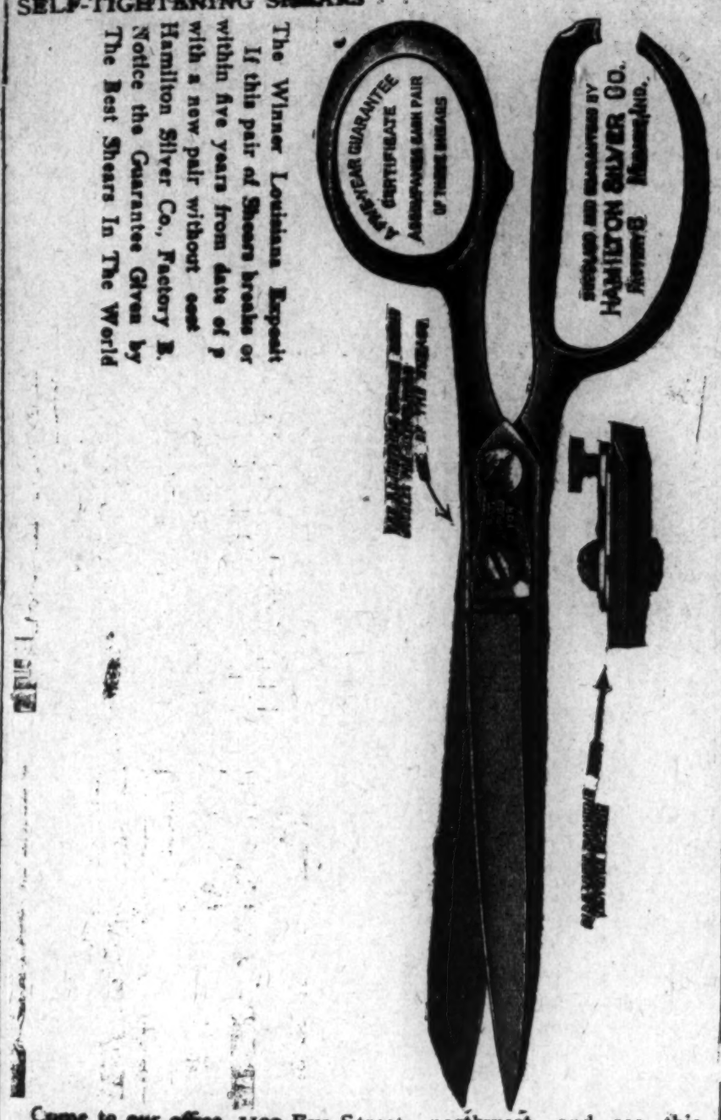

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Old Colonial Records Show Act Was Attempted In 1656 — The Punishment.

It is not necessary to give up our pious faith in the superior political morality of our forefathers when we learn that even in the first generation of Bostonians was found a ballot stuffer.

The same record which reveals this break records also its instant repudiation and punishment. It was on the fourteenth day of January, 1655, 25 years after the settlement of Boston, according to the quaint records preserved of the king's chapel, that a referendum was held as to whether a part of the land should be alienated.

The old chronicle runs: "The Inhabitants proceeded to bring in their votes; and when the Selectmen were receiving 'em at the Door of the Hall they observed one of the Innabitants, viz., John Pigeon, to put in about a dozen with the word Yea wrote on all of 'em, being charged with so doing, he acknowledged it, and was thereupon Ordered by the Moderator to pay a Fine of Five Pounds for putting in the settlement of Boston according to the more than One Vote according to Law, and the Moderator thereupon declared to the Inhabitants that they must draw and bring in their Votes again in Manner as before directed, and the Inhabitants accordingly withdrew and the Votes being brought in and sorted it appeared that there were Four Hundred and two votes and that there was two hundred and five Yeas and one hundred and ninety-seven Nays." — Boston Transcript.

BITTER WAS THE AWAKENING

Sleeping Owner of Millions Brought Back to Earth by Stern Yet Modest Demand.

"I dreamed last night that beginning with $100 I pyramided my bets on the stock market so that in a little while I had $2,000,000,000," said one of the artist colony in West Sixty-seventh street yesterday. "A crowd of people came to me and besought me to cease speculating. They pointed out that I had more money than I could ever spend and if I kept on I would own all there was in the world. I replied that I wanted a billion dollars more for my own use and that I proposed with the two billion I already had to establish a great institution where all the artists and writers and sculptors might work free from pecuniary annoyances, and raise the standard of beauty in all the arts throughout the world. The last man who came to beg me to stop making money was my attorney. I turned a deaf ear to his entreaties and finally he sternly demanded of me the two dollars and a half that I had borrowed from him last week. Then I woke up."—New York Press.

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SKELETON MILITARY MAST

Picturesque Feature of the Battleship Is Being Supplanted By a Structure of Steel.

Boston.—One of the most picturesque features of the battleship is rapidly on its way to the scrap heap. The military mast, that heavy steel column of which most ships of Uncle Sam's navy carried a pair, fore and aft, which had fighting tops from the platforms of which machine guns could be used to pop away at torpedo boats or like craft, is being regarded as obsolete.

The military mast was considered not so very long ago, a formidable feature of the equipment of a battleship. Now, it is being supplanted by a skeleton mast, a stranded structure of steel sufficiently open in its interlacing of supports to permit of the least possible damage from the shots of the enemy.

New and Old Masts of the Battleship Missouri.

It has been shown by experiments that this form of structure will stand the greatest amount of puncture from shots before it collapses, and so the navy department is replacing the more or less solid structures with this grapevine arrangement.

The new mast, while rising to the height of the topmast of the old style, is only about one-fifth of the weight, averaging about 7,000 pounds, as against 34,000 pounds of most masts of the old style. The height of the new masts from the water to the lookout is about 120 feet, or approximately the same as the old ones, but the "eye" of the ship is infinitely safer on the top of the new masts than it was on the top of the old wooden topmasts.

The illustration very adequately shows the masts on the battleship Missouri recently fitting at the Charlestown navy yard, the foremast being the new model and the mainmast the old.

NEGRO AT THE NORTH POLE

Matthew Henson, Peary's Valet, Proves That Black Man Can Stand Coldest Weather.

New York.—The general supposition that the negro can't stand cold weather and is a warm climate person only, is refuted in the case of Matthew Henson, Commander Robert E. Peary's personal servant. Among the interesting announcements connected with the north pole discovery was the statement that Henson was the only civilized person with Peary when the top of the world was discovered. Henson, in fact, says it was he who raised the stars and stripes at the "great rail" and that he taught the Eskimos to cheer when the American flag was unfurled.

Matthew Henson.

Walter Kitchener at Disadvantage.

Gen. Walter Kitchener, who is stationed at Bermuda, is a brother of Lord Kitchener, and this fact has worked against him rather than for him. He is considered a clever soldier in England, and at the time of the war in South Africa it was thought that he would receive an important post that would become vacant. He was passed over and his brother, Lord Kitchener, was asked for the reason. "It should have gone to my brother," he said, "but if I had given it to him everybody would have yelled 'favoritism' at the top of their voices, so I picked someone else."

Walter Kitchener was expected at Cape Town at a railway station once when an old lady rushed in excitedly and asked at what platform Lord Kitchener was expected to arrive. No one seemed to know anything about his visit until it finally dawned upon the staff officer that she had heard of the arrival of his brother. He informed her that this was only Kitchener that was expected. "I call it a shame that this man, whoever he may be, should be allowed to use Lord Kitchener's name; the government ought to do something about it," she said, stalking majestically out of the station.

"PEGGOTTY" HUT A SAD RUIN

Yarmouth Scenes Which Dickens Described in His Story of "David Copperfield."

London.—A Yarmouth hundred of herring really counts 132, and in many ways the inhabitants of the old town are credited with an open-handed generosity. Peggotty told David Copperfield, you remember, that it was the finest place in the universe, to which the boy replied that "a mound or two might have improved it, and also that if the land had been a little more separated from the sea and the town and the tide had not been quite so much mixed up, like toast and water, it would have been much nicer." But presently, when he got into the streets and "smelt the fish and pitch, and oakum, and tallow, and saw the sailors walking about and the carts jingling up and down over the stones," Young Copperfield admitted that he had done Yarmouth an injustice.

All that Is Left of Peggotty's Hut.

The remains of Peggotty's hut may still be seen, sad and forlorn, alas! but suggestive nevertheless of the quaint home where David was so happy, of Peggotty's jokes, of little Emily's pretty ways and of the dolefulness of Mrs. Gummidge. There are many ancient buildings that have stood the test of time better than the queer boat-home of Peggotty. Formerly Yarmouth was one of the principal ports of England, and its merchant adventurers enjoyed the patronage of Queen Elizabeth. Its Tolhouse claims to be the oldest municipal building in the kingdom.

WILSON WILL GO TO MEXICO

Minister to Belgium to Succeed Ambassador Thompson in Neighboring Republic.

Washington.—Henry Lane Wilson, American minister to Belgium, will soon be officially named to succeed David E. Thompson as ambassador to Mexico. Mr. Wilson has been notified of his appointment by the state department and is clearing up his business at the legation in Brussels pending his departure for his new post. Mr. Wilson, who is a native of Crawfordsville, Ind., has been in the diplomatic service since 1897, when he was appointed minister to Chile. He

Henry Lane Wilson.

became minister to Belgium in 1905. Before entering the diplomatic service Mr. Wilson was successively editor, lawyer and banker. He is a graduate of Wabash college.

Deadheads Must Be Coaxed.

Concert givers in Germany find it more and more difficult to get an audience. Free tickets by no means insures one. A Berlin journal tells how audiences at recitals (Berlin often has more than 50 of them in one week) are apt to be made up.

Miss N., who plays or sings, sends out about 200 tickets, some of them to prominent persons. One of these is the wife of Prof. X. She kindly accepts the ticket, but has no intention of attending the concert, so she gives them to her dressmaker, who in turn bestows them upon her assistants, who probably may go to the concert. In one case it was found that of 200 free tickets only 47 were used.—Musical America.

Pulsation and Respiration.

Before birth the average number of pulsations per minute is 150; in the newly born, 140 to 130; during the first year, 130 to 115; second year, 115 to 100; seventh year, 90 to 85; fourteenth year, 85 to 80; adult life, 80 to 70; old age, 70 to 60.

At birth there are 44 respirations in one minute; at five years of age, 26; from 15 to 20, 20; from 20 to 25, 18.7; from 25 to 30, 18; from 30 to 50, 18.1. The average ratio which the number of respirations bears to the number of pulsations in a given time is 1:4½.

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SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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No. 16353. Administration Docket.
Estate of William Fleming, Deceased.

Application having been made herein for probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, and for letters testamentary on said estate, by Maggie Holmes, Executor, it is ordered this 24th day of February, A. D. 1910, that Maria Fleming, Joseph Fleming, Vassar Fleming, Benjamin Fleming, Horace Fleming, Harrison Fleming, Edward Fleming and Ethel Fleming, and all others concerned, appear in said Court on Friday, the 22nd ay of April, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why such application should not be granted. Let notice hereof be published in the "Washington Law Reporter" and "he Washington Bee" once in each of three successive weeks before the return day herein mentioned — the first pubilcation to be not less than thirty days before said return day.

Job Barnard, Justice.

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Principal Booker T. Washington of the Tuskegee Institute will deliver the annual address before the Dunbar Literary Club of Fisk University, March 30th, and is also to speak on March 31st in connection with the inauguration of the new president of the University, Dr. George A. Gates.

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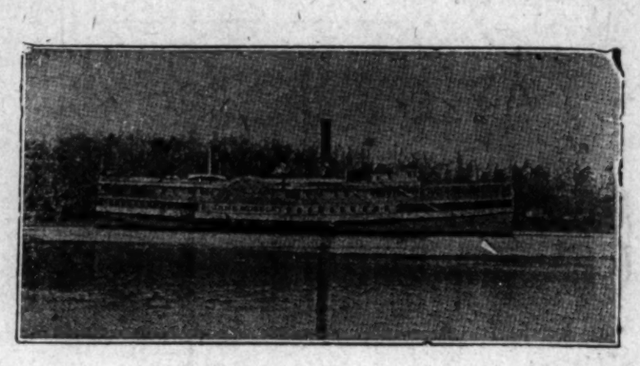

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